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### BENZ

We have a 1926 Ford touring which has never been licensed or run. It carries a new car guarantee and will be sold at a reduction. Don't miss this snap.

### VICK BROS.

#### Receives Honolulu Post

Lola Bell Bellinger, librarian at the Salem high school, will journey to Honolulu this summer where she will have charge of library work. Miss Bellinger stated that her new post will be much more remunerative.

#### Attend the Demonstration

Of Day beds and De Luxe springs at Hamilton's, 340 Court St. a29

#### Special Prices for One Week

Kleinert's Miracle Rubber Reducers. Swart Specialty Shop, 453 Court. a29

#### Would Collect Note

The McCaskey Register company has filed suit here against G. T. Moisan of Mt. Angel to collect on a promissory note in the amount of \$190. They also ask \$75 attorney fees and costs.

#### Suits Cleaned and Pressed

\$1.25. Cash and Carry Cleaners. Down town receiving office, 352 Chemeketa St. a21tf

#### Bedroom Suits and Single

Pieces, 25 per cent discount, at Hamilton's, 340 Court St. a29

#### Portland Woman Fined

Mrs. M. B. Frank of Portland was fined \$10 in justice court here Wednesday when she appeared on a charge of speeding. The arrest was made by O. O. Nichols of the state traffic division.

#### Furniture Upholstery

And repairing. Giese-Powers Furniture company. a20tf

#### Keep Cool

Your straw hat is here. All the newest at the best values, \$2 to \$7.50. The Man's Shop. a29

#### Non-Support Charged

William L. Murphy was bound over to the grand jury Wednesday when he was arraigned in justice court on a charge of non-support. Bail, fixed at \$250, was furnished.

#### State Street Lot

Just west of 23rd St., 50 ft. frontage extending to creek. Fine building site. Becke & Hendricks, 189 N. High St. a25tf

#### Hip Confiner, \$1.50

Fancy brocade. Howard Corset Shop, 165 N. Liberty. a29

#### Horse Stealing Charged

Bill Ward was arraigned in the Salem justice court Wednesday before Brazier C. Small, justice of the peace, on a charge of larceny of a team of horses said to belong to E. Blankenship. Both men live near Independence. The horses are said to have been on Ward's premises and he is alleged to have traded them off. The case has been continued.

#### A Ton of Ice Can Be Bought

With the saving you make on our refrigerators. Hamilton's a29

#### Another Lot

Of that Christmas beef at Farrington's, 147 N. High. a29

#### Would Close Albany Street

The Southern Pacific company has filed application with the public service commission for permission to close a part of Ferry street in the city of Albany. It was said that the closing of this street would eliminate two hazardous grade crossings.

#### No Ice, But Low Price

On all refrigerators at Hamilton's, 340 Court street. a29

#### Strictly Modern 5 Room Home

With sleeping porch, hardwood floors, beautiful lot \$24150. All landscaped, all pavement paid. See at 1776 Fir street. Becke & Hendricks, 189 N. High St. a25tf

#### To Address Rotarians

Salem notarians will next Wednesday have as their principal speaker, George Guthrie, owner of the Oregon theater and of the new Elsinore theater, declared to be one of the best in the northwest. It is understood that Mr. Guthrie will explain some of the problems he met while building the Elsinore theater.

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#### See Our Ad on Page 6

Hamilton Furniture Co. a29

#### Sues Executor

A Slaughter, a practicing neuropathic of Salem, has filed a complaint against the executors of the estate of the late Alonso H. Dennett, asking \$525 for treatments said to have been administered to Mr. Dennett during his lifetime. Slaughter declares he made 126 professional visits to Mr. Dennett's

home, and that he was visited several times in his office. The regular fee for each treatment is \$5. The complaint states. Costs of the action are also asked.

#### Lawn Swings in Beautiful

Colorful duck handsomely fringed canopies, at Hamilton's, 340 Court street. a29

#### Break Suspected

A break in the water main of the Salem Water Light & Power company is believed to have caused the unusual taste of the city's drinking water during the past two days. A diver is to be employed immediately to locate the suspected break. The water was in much better condition last night than the night before. In spite of the queer taste, the water tested pure, according to the company's officials.

#### Champagne Picnic Sunday

All former Alaskans and friends are cordially invited to attend a "sourdough" picnic at Old Champeog on Sunday, May 2. Many persons from Portland will go for the big celebration on Saturday and camp over till Sunday. The Iowa society will also have a picnic at this time and place.

#### Cars Collide

The car driven by Forrest Goff of this city bumped into a car stopped in the center of the street on Court, between Liberty and Commercial streets. The name of the other driver was not given in the report, and no damage was reported.

#### Would Ban Traps

Placing or maintaining of fish wheels in the Columbia river and the taking of fish from the stream east of Cascade Locks by means of fish traps or seines is prohibited in an initiative bill filed in the offices of the secretary of state here Wednesday. The use of gill nets also is regulated under the provisions of the proposed law. The bill is being sponsored by the Oregon state grange, state federation of labor and the fish commission. The bill will go before the voters of the state at the November election.

#### Reports Collision

Sam Steinbock of 565 North High street, while he was backing his car away from the curb on Center street between Front and Commercial street, collided with the car driven by H. J. Neiger of route 1, Salem. No damage was reported. The car driven by W. A. Landgraf of 260 North 23rd street collided with one driven by an unknown driver at High and State streets, in front of the Oregon theater. The unknown driver was backing away from the curb. No damage was reported.

#### Cars Bump

W. E. Martin of 775 North Cottage street, while driving his car on Capitol street near the Fairgrounds road, collided with a car driven by an unknown driver. No damage resulted to either car.

#### Reports on Convention

Fred Thielsen, retiring president of the Salem Rotary club, told his fellow members at the luncheon Wednesday noon of the happenings at the district convention held last week at Victoria, B. C. He declared that the meeting was orderly in every way and that all the delegates had a good time from their arrival until their departure.

### VANDERBILT SPLIT THREATENS PAPERS

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able to get this financial exigency.

Outlining the efforts Cornelius has made to hold his property, Mr. Malone continued, "Mr. Vanderbilt has received no profits from his newspapers and even his salary has for many months been used to meet corporation obligations.

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**BIG FURNITURE Auction Sale**  
**TUESDAY, MAY 4**  
 Starts 10 a. m.  
 Eleven Rooms of Furniture  
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 Summer and Norway Streets

tions and expenses, at serious cost to his health he made and will make every effort to preserve his newspaper chain and pay the stockholders investment."

Cornelius Vanderbilt Jr. began his newspaper career on the New York Times as a cub reporter, and after a period of experience in "digging up" news, established a paper of his own in California, the Los Angeles Illustrated news. He later founded tabloid newspapers in San Francisco and Miami, Fla. Mr. Vanderbilt Jr., said he started his publishing enterprise with \$115,000. Later, stock amounting to \$5,000,000 was issued, he said. Of this, \$3,500,000 is in the hands of stock holders, but much of it he said, has changed hands and under California law, in which state the enterprise is incorporated, only original purchases of stock can vote or make claim against the corporation. He said there are now only 5,000 stockholders, many outside of California. The remaining stock, valued at \$1,500,000 he said, has not been delivered because it was not paid up. His family's investment totaled \$1,080,000 secured by demand notes on the tangible assets. He gave tangible assets based chiefly upon mechanical equipment as \$2,000,000 and good will at \$1,500,000. Gross earnings for last year, he said, were \$2,000,000.

"We are not pressed by creditors," he said, "and if we can secure \$300,000, we can keep things going for six months and eventually the papers will stand on their own legs." The publications involved he said, are the Los Angeles Illustrated Daily News, San Francisco Herald, the Miami Tab, the Vanderbilt Weekly, the Vanderbilt Farmer, and the Vanderbilt Photo Syndicate of Los Angeles. The entire personnel of the various enterprises has been reorganized he said and the persons he alleged had caused him serious losses through mismanagement, had been eliminated. "My family," he said, "opposed my going into journalism, but the present cleavage of opinion fol-

lows an examination of the business by experts representing my family and myself. When the experts made their report, my family refused to put any more money into the enterprises, but I said I would stand to the last ditch."

### FUNERALS

Funeral services for the late John Harris will be held from the Episcopal church on Thursday, April 29, at 2 o'clock. Rev. H. D. Chambers will officiate. Interment will be in IOOF cemetery. Webb funeral parlors will be in charge.

Funeral services for Rex Blodgett will be held from the Webb funeral parlors on Friday, April 30, at 10:30 o'clock. Rev. Hoffman will officiate. Interment will be in City View cemetery.

**TO THOSE WHO MOURN**  
 Oh, what were life, if life were all?  
 Thine eyes are blinded by thy tears, or thou wouldst see Thy treasures wait thee in the far-off skies,  
 And Death, thy friend, will give them all to thee.  
 —Adelaide Procter.

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### 17 IN FAMILY, HELD IN STATE INSTITUTIONS

of incompetents, in all of our state institutions. Our eugenics law has the board of control solidly behind it—governor, state treasurer and secretary of state. One of its greatest exponents, gaining international distinction, is Dr. J. N. Smith, superintendent of the Oregon state institution for the feeble minded.

### FAMOUS ACTRESS DIES

NEW YORK, April 28.—Miss Jeffreys Lewis, one of the most widely known American actresses a generation ago, when she was leading lady at Wallack's and Augustin Daly's theatres, died today after a brief illness, at the age of 69.

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## CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

**Our Weather Man**  
  
 COOLER

Fair with fogs near the coast; somewhat cooler in the west portion; humidity below normal and high forest fire hazard; gentle variable winds.  
 Maximum, 93; minimum, 51; river .0, falling; rainfall none; atmosphere clear; wind north.

**Special Meeting of—**  
 Grand lodge of Oregon called at Masonic Temple, Friday, April 30 at 1:30 p. m. for the purpose of laying corner stone of new Y. M. C. A. building. All Master Masons invited. A. W. Welch, W. M., Salem No. 4; E. A. Paulsen, W. M., Pacific No. 50. a29

**Draws Fine—**  
 Adrian Hermans of 1295 Shipping street was fined \$5 by Judge Poulsen Wednesday for having allowed his dog to run at large.

**Furniture Upholstery—**  
 And repairing. Giese-Powers Furniture company. a20tf

**Dance Saturday at—**  
 Clemens' Pavilion, Hazel Green. a30

**Building Permits Are Issued—**  
 Two building permits were issued from the office of the city recorder Wednesday. W. B. Johnson took out a permit to construct a one and one half story dwelling at 1645 South Liberty street at a cost of \$4000. Dan W. Agnew was issued a permit to erect a one story dwelling at 1929 Mill street at a cost of \$4000.

**A Number of Cedar Chests—**  
 Left at the very low sale price. A miniature chest free with every chest sold. Hamilton's, 340 Court street. a29

**Dr. Marshall, Osteopathic—**  
 Physician and surgeon. a29

**To Show Dry Film—**  
 "The Triumph of Justice" will be shown at the Rickreall Evangelical church, Sunday, May 2 at 11 a. m. A short address in connection with the picture will be given by R. E. Close, superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League of Oregon.

**Dahlia, \$1 Dozen—**  
 Pearcy Bros., 178 S. Commercial street. a29

**Geraniums, Cannas, Etc.—**  
 Large assortment. We receive a truck load each week from Clackamas green houses. Best quality. We deliver. Flake's Potland, 273 State. a29

**Officers Installed—**  
 Officers for the coming year were installed Wednesday noon in the Salem Rotary club. George Arbuckle was installed as president, being greeted by retiring President Fred Thielsen. Dr. H. H. Olinger, who defeated Max Page in the only office contest, was installed as vice president. Other officers installed are Eric Butler, secretary; William Wal-

**FRUIT at MAX O'BUREN'S**  
 177 N. COMMERCIAL SALEM, ORE.

ton, treasurer; Carl B. Webb, Fred Thielsen and Lester Barr, directors.

**Hats Cleaned and Blocked—**  
 75c. Cash and Carry Cleaners, 352 Chemeketa St. a21tf

**To Make More Room—**  
 For new goods, every davenport at greatly reduced price. C. S. Hamilton Furniture Co. a29

**Leave for Outing—**  
 Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Conn have left for their annual six weeks' trip to Belknap Springs. Mr. Conn is planning on angling his share of trout.

**Week-End Sale—**  
 Vanity Hat Shop, 337 Court. a30

**Always Fresh—**  
 We sell so many that we always have a fresh supply of violin, banjo, guitar and ukulele gut strings. Geo. C. Will Music House, 432 State St. a29

**Will Give Bed Springs—**  
 Two pairs of bed springs, both in excellent condition may be obtained free of charge from Mrs. W. W. Corey, 363 South 17th street, by any person who is needy but worthy.

**Cavalier Refrigerator Time—**  
 Now; get yours with \$5 down, balance easy. C. S. Hamilton Furniture Co. a29

**Take a Ukelele—**  
 Or ukelele-banjo along with you on your trip. Geo. C. Will has an extra large assortment for sale just now. 432 State St. a29

**Prayer League to Meet—**  
 The women's evangelical prayer league will meet today at the home of Mrs. N. Salomon, 1335 State street. Mrs. L. M. P. Heater, assistant Presbyterian pastor, will lead.

**Neat Little Apartment—**  
 For rent. Phone 469J or 859. a29\*

**Better Homes—**  
 Demonstration Cottage in charge of American Better Homes committee, open daily this week in Farrish Grove addition, half block beyond North Mill creek, on Pacific highway (North Capitol street). Visitors welcome. Your inspection invited. a30

**Banquet to Be Held—**  
 A banquet will be held Saturday night at the Benton hotel in Corvallis by the Northwestern Society of Highway Engineers, it was announced Wednesday. Dr. W. J. Kerr, president of Oregon Agricultural college, will be one of the principal speakers. Ad-

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dresses will also be given by Prof. A. L. Peck of OAC, and E. Vining, president of the State Chamber of Commerce.

**Bacon Squares, 25c Per Pound—**  
 At Farrington's, 147 N. High. a29

**Five Dollars Down—**  
 Places any Opal range in your home. C. S. Hamilton Furniture Co. a29

**Visit Salem—**  
 Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Crittendon were in Salem Wednesday. They are residents of Hillsboro.

**Hotel Marlon—**  
 Dollar dinner, served 5:45 to 8 every evening. a21tf

**Investment, Brick and Concrete—**  
 Building paying 9 per cent, net size, 42x165, in location steadily increasing in value. Price, \$21,000; reasonable terms. Becke & Hendricks, 189 N. High St. a25tf

**Services Are Held—**  
 The funeral services of James H. Ewing, alumnus of Wallamette university, were held Wednesday in Albany. He is survived by his wife, also a former Wallamette student, and three sons.

**The French Shop's—**  
 Special sale on all sport coats. Many new models in white and light colors. M. Burke Morrison, 115 High St. a29

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 Real values in smart tailored sport coats. M. Burke Morrison, 115 High St. a29

**Call Hamilton Furniture Co.—**  
 For furniture upholstery and refinishing and repairing. a29

**Goes to Corvallis—**  
 Roy Maddy, connected for quite a time with the Mistland bakery of this city, has gone to Corvallis to take a position with the Dixie bakery of that city.

**Special, Delphiniums—**  
 Sweet williams, Shasta daisy, 2 for 25c. large clumps. Windy box plants, bedding plants. Pearcy Bros., 178 S. Commercial. a29

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